

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
| | : | Examiner: S. Bausch |
| NOBUKO YAMAMOTO ET AL. |) | |
| | : | Group Art Unit: 1634 |
| Application No.: 10/608,804 |) | |
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| Filed: June 30, 2003 |) | |
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| For: METHOD FOR EXAMINING |) | |
| REACTIVITY AND METHOD | : | |
| FOR DETECTING A COMPLEX |) | August 23, 2006 |

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 8, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.

B. Drawings

Please replace the drawing sheets presently on record with the attached replacement sheets.